GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Servants-Health Medical & Family Welfare Department – Allegations of corruption against AO1 Sri Sarihaddu Vijaya Veerabhadra Rao, Gazetted Food Inspector , Division-1, Office Subordinate O/o Assistant Food Controller & Designated Officer, Pedawaltair, Vishakhapatnam- Trapped on 17-4-2018 - Expired on 24-05-2020– Further action abated – Orders – Issued.

HEALTH, MEDICAL AND FAMILY WELFARE (VC.1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 64 **Dated: 11-02-2021**

Read the following:-

1. From the DSP, ACB, Vishakhapatnam, radio messages dt;17-4- 2018 and 23-04-2018.
2. Proc No.2548/E2/2018-1, Dated:01-05-2018 of the Commissioner of Food Safety,AP, Vijayawada.
3. Lr.Rc. No.2548/E2/2019-20, Dated:06-11-2020 of the Director, IPM, AP, Vijayawada

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ORDER:

Whereas, the Deputy Superintendent of Police, ACB, Vishakhapatnam has informed that on 16-4-2018 the AO1 Sri Sarihaddu Vijaya Veerabhadra Rao, Gazetted Food Inspector and AO2- Sri Dadi Suri Appa Rao, Office Subordinate O/o Assistant Food Controller & Designated Officer, Pedawaltair, Vishakhapatnam who demanded bribe of Rs.10,000/- from the complainant Sri Pasumarthi Kanaka Raju, S/o Appalanarasayya, 43 years kirana business R/o Pukkallapalem, Vishakhapatnam District. On 17-4-2018 at about 11.25 hours the AO1 further demanded and accepted bribe of Rs.10,000/- from the complainant through A3- Sri Yandra Rajesh , private secretary to AO1 in his office room in the office of O/o Assistant Food Controller, Pedawaltair , Vishakhapatnam for doing official favour to manage the proceedings initiated against the complainant. The tainted amount of Rs.10,000/- was recovered from the dark brown coloured right side, side trouser pocket of AO3. The AO2 who attended the office after the trap was also arrested on 17-4-2018 at 19.00 hours along with AO1 and AO3 for demand and acceptance of bribe and they were produced before the Hon'ble III Additional District session Jude-cum-Spl judge for ACB Cases , Vishakhapatnam on 18-4-2018 at 15.30 hours. The Hon'ble Judge granted remand to the AOs till 01-5-2018 and they were handed over to central prison , Vishakhapatnam.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Commissioner of Food Safety,AP has issued orders by placing AO1 Sri Sarihaddu Vijaya Veerabhadra Rao , Gazetted Food Inspector , Division -1, AO2- Sri Dadi Suri Appa Rao, Office Subordinate O/o Assistant Food Controller & Designated Officer, Pedawaltair, Vishakhapatnam under suspension w.e.f. 17-4-2018.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Director, IPM, AP, Vijayawada has forwarded the copy of death certificate in respect of Late AO1 Sri Sarihaddu Vijaya Veerabhadra Rao, Gazetted Food Inspector, Division -1, O/o Assistant Food Controller & Designated Officer, Pedawaltair, Vishakhapatnam (who expired on 24-05-2020 while under suspension)

4. Government have examined the matter carefully and decided to abate the disciplinary proceedings against AO1 Sri Sarihaddu Vijaya Veerabhadra Rao, Gazetted Food Inspector, Division -1, O/o Assistant Food Controller & Designated Officer, Pedawaltair, Vishakhapatnam under sub-rule 7 (a) of Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 considering his

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demise on 24-05-2020, subject to recovery of loss if any caused to the Government (or) misappropriated amount by the deceased Government Servant is established in such cases, the same can be recovered from terminal benefits admissible to the legal heirs.

5. The Commissioner of Food Safety,AP, Vijayawada shall taken necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ANIL KUMAR SINGHAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The legal heirs through Commissioner of Food Safety,AP, Vijayawada
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The District Treasury Officer, Vishakhapatnam
The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, A. P.Vigilance Commission.
The OSD to Hon'ble Deputy CM (HFW&ME)
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